

THE WEATHER
Forecast for Portsmouth
and vicinity—Fair Tues-
day; Wednesday fair;
little change in tempera-
ture; westerly winds.

THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD

SUN AND TIDE
Sun Rises..... 5.06
Sun Sets..... 5.45
High Tide..... 9.42 a.m.
Low Tide..... 10.11 p.m.
Moon Sets..... 5.21 a.m.

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CITY COUNCIL PASS APPROPRIATION BILL

THIEVES AT SEABROOK BEACH

Two Cottages Again Broken
Into Near the Hampton
Line.

Members of the Salisbury Beach Life Saving Crew while on their patrol yesterday discovered that two of the cottages at the Seabrook Beach had been broken into. Entrance was gained by breaking windows. Whether anything has been stolen or not is not known. The owners of the cottages are New Hampshire and Amesbury parties. These owners have been notified of the occurrences and will come down and investigate matters immediately. It is stated that these same summer cottages have been broken into in previous winters.

BOX SEVENTEEN Will Be Moved to the Corner of Daniel and Chapel Streets.

Box 17 of the fire alarm system, which has for years been located near the navy yard ferry landing at the foot of Daniel street, will be changed to another location near the police headquarters at the corner of Chapel and Daniel streets. The change will make it more convenient for the police department if called upon to pull in for a fire. The section from which the box is to be removed will be covered by box 19. It is likely that the Portsmouth Brewery company in that district will now install a private box the same as the other brewing plants of the city.

Unholstering, hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Brothers, Phone 570.

Ordinance to Regulate Dance Halls Passed With But Few Changes-- Takes Effect April First-- Other Business.

A meeting of the Mayor and Council was held on Monday evening and in a short space of time considerable business was transacted. The annual appropriation bill, calling for \$237,088.88 was passed, and the dance hall ordinance, practically as it was introduced was passed. The Mayor and Council had discussed at length the appropriation bill, first at the finance committee meeting, and then in a committee of the whole last week and before the meeting last evening, so that there was no discussion in the meeting. It was the same way with the dance ordinance which the committee on Bills on Second Reading have had under consideration for some weeks.

Councilman Tilton was the only member absent when the Council was called together at 8.20 by Mayor Yeaton.

Councilman Duncan for the Committee on Fire Department, reported that Steamer No. 2 had been found and had been returned to the city. It had been tested out and had passed the inspection of the Chief of the Fire Department. He stated that the engine was in excellent shape, in fact, better than new.

Councilman Bennett for the Committee on Bills on Second Reading reported the dance hall regulation ordinance with some slight amendments, and it passed its several readings on

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief, 50c.

GREAT VALUES FOR DOLLAR DAY

Live Merchants Will Make
Saturday Special Bar-
gain Day.

Saturday will be one of the biggest shopping days in years. Live Portsmouth merchants are taking a deep interest in the bargain day and will give big buying value for the dollar. A one-dollar note of any amount that totals one dollar in value will be a big purchasing factor in Portsmouth next Saturday. This is because of the fact that Portsmouth merchants have given the one dollar more attention in the way of its purchasing power than the single dollar usually gets. When the merchants and others agreed that a Dollar Bargain Day here would prove a big hit, particularly if unusually good bargains were offered, then the campaign was on.

In connection with our Dollar Day, it is well to note that Manchester has adopted a similar plan for next Friday and the Union has the following to say:

The Publicity association launched the project and the dealers are co-operating to make the day a magnificent success, both from the standpoint of the home and the store. The plan somewhat according to Friday the thirteenth, on account of T. W. Lawson's writings, will not be in evidence here, as concerns the business at local stores, and according to the understanding other Fridays the thirteenth in sequence are to be made Dollar Bargain Days as well.

Undoubtedly many will troop to this city from all parts of outlying sections in order that full attention may be given to the purchasing power of dollars on a Dollar Bargain Day.

A. B. Jenkins is president of the Manchester Publicity association. William E. Quinn of the Barton company is chairman of the committee appointed to give the matter full attention. Both are hustlers. It was not long before dealers all over town were talking the matter up and declaring that they would, and in every way possible.

TOWNS HOLD ELECTION

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Today is a busy day with the towns in New Hampshire, the occasion being the annual town meeting. Results from the nearby towns as far as obtainable up to the time of going to press are given as follows:

New Castle.
The same board of selectmen, Elmer E. Eaton, Jesse O. White and Oliver B. Marvin were re-elected.

Rye.
The ticket presented to the voters of Rye was as follows:
Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor and Assessors, of Taxes, Irving Rand, Newell Marden, Charles Locke.
Supervisors of Highways, George A. Tuck, Abbott White, C. A. Goss.
Town Clerk, Blake H. Rand.
Treasurer, Fred Parsons.
Library Trustee, Charles Remick.
Greenland.

In this town a Citizens' ticket was presented and the following officers chosen:

Selectmen, John H. Brackett, William A. Odell, L. D. Dority.
Town Clerk, Frank D. Wentworth.
Treasurer, Harry A. Holmes.
Assessors, Charles H. Brackett, Frank E. Hughes.
Auditors, Frank B. Moody, Thornton P. Weeks.
Highway Agents, F. Toscan Parrott, William R. Weeks, Arthur H. Thompson.

Library Trustee for three years, John P. Weeks.
The town appropriated \$1,200 for the maintenance of the trunk line and \$125 for street lights.

OPEN STATION. Man Placed in Charge of Kit- tery Point Depot on Monday.

The Boston and Maine railroad on Monday opened the Kittery Point station on the York Harbor and Beach branch. Charles Lewis of Kittery will have charge of the station work and will report for duty twice a day when trains are due.

ANOTHER JUMP IN TAX VALUATION

FAILS TO FILE THAW BRIEF

Time for State of New York
Expired Monday at
Midnight.

The brief for the state of New York, opposing the liberation of Harry K. Thaw on bail was not filed last night with the clerk of the United States court, although the time had expired at 12 o'clock midnight.

It is expected that the document will be placed in the hands of the clerk early this morning. What effect the failure to comply with the order of the court will have on the matter is at this time problematical.

As soon as the weather permits several new cottages will be built at York Beach, principally at Concordville.

State Tax Commission Notifies Local Board of Assessors that They Must Increase Valuation Another \$1,000,000

The State Tax Commission has served notice on the local board that another raise of \$1,000,000 in the tax valuation of this city must be made this year. This news will come as a shock to many as it has been conceded by many that the valuations here in the business section are altogether too high. Portsmouth is certainly paying dear for its experience in "Real Estate deals and real raising phunk."

Just where this work of increasing taxes is going to end is puzzling those who are having a hard time to meet their obligations.

It is to be hoped that the time is not far distant when the affairs of

Portsmouth can be handled by their own citizens and not by persons living in Coos county and other remote parts of the state.

20 PER CENT DISCOUNT ON RE- FRIGERATORS.

Save 20 per cent by buying a refrigerator before March 21st of Margeson Brothers. They are afraid they have overbought having over a carload, John Sisson, White Mountain and Hall refrigerators.

This weather this morning had a real taste of winter attached to it.

GEORGE B. FRENCH CO.

Spring Silks and Dress Fabrics

A Fine Display of Weaves and Colorings in

- 40 inch Crepe Arabian at \$2.25 per yard
- 40 inch Crepe Meter at \$3.00 per yard
- 40 inch Crinkle Crepe at \$1.89 per yard
- 40 inch Crepe Dechline at \$1.50 per yard
- 40 inch Silk Poplin at \$1.25 per yard
- 36 inch Messalines at \$1.00 per yard
- 36 inch Plain and Figured Foulard at \$1.00 and \$1.35 per yard
- 32-36 inch Tub Wash Silks, Plain and Striped, 75c, 79c, 85c, \$1.00 yard
- 40 inch New Wool Crepe, Plain and Striped, 75c and \$1.00 per yard
- 56 inch New Wool Crepe at \$1.25 per yard

Spring Display of New Laces and Flouncings including

- 18 inch Shadow Lace Flouncing 59c and 75c per yard
- 27 inch Shadow Lace Flouncing 98c and \$1.25 per yard
- 12 inch Net Top, Heavily Embroidered Edges, 49c and 75c per yard
- Chantilly Allover Lace, 42 inches wide, Suitable for Waists and Trimmings, \$5.00 per yard
- Choice Line of Bandings including Real Irish Chantillys, Shadows, Venises, Etc., prices from 25c per yard up

Special Sale for a Few Days Only

45 inch Embroidered Voile Flouncings
59c per yard

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Last Sale on Winter Garments

Greatest Mark-Down Ever Offered by any Store in New England. We Still Have a Large Stock of Suits, Coats, Dresses and Furs that Must be Sold Out Before the Spring Season Opens

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE TO BUY \$2.00 AND \$3.00 WORTH OF GOOD AND RELIABLE MERCHANDISE FOR THE PRICE OF \$1.00. ALL WINTER GOODS MUST GO REGARDLESS OF VALUES.

Sale Starts Wed. March 11th at 9 a. m.

BE ON HAND EARLY. FIRST CHOICE IS ALWAYS THE BEST.

FREE: \$1.00 House Dress Given Free With Every Purchase of \$10.00 or More. On First Sale Day Only

HERE ARE A FEW OF THE MANY BARGAINS OFFERED:

\$6.95 Coats or Suits, values up to \$15.00, for.....	\$6.95	\$10.00 Silk Dresses.....	\$4.98
\$3.88 Coats, values up to \$10.....	\$3.88	\$125.00 Fur Coat.....	\$62.50
\$9.95 Coats or Suits, values up to \$20.00, now.....	\$9.95	\$175.00 Fur Coat.....	\$90.00
\$4.00 and \$5.00 Dress Skirts.....	\$2.98	\$90.00 Fur Coat.....	\$35.00
\$3.00 Dress Skirts.....	\$1.39	\$40.00 Fur Lined Coat.....	\$20.00
\$2.00 House or Street Dresses.....	\$1.00	\$30 and \$35 Ural Lamb Coats, at.....	\$14.95
\$4.00 and \$7.00 Street Dresses.....	\$2.98	\$10.00 Raincoats.....	\$5.98
		\$18 Balmacaan Coats.....	\$12.00
		\$5.00 Bath Robes.....	\$3.98

ALL CHILDRENS COATS AND DRESSES AT HALF PRICE.

GREATEST SACRIFICE SALE ON FURS EVER HEARD OF. THEY MUST BE SOLD AT SOME PRICE. NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY THEM WHEN YOU CAN SAVE MORE THAN HALF. THEY ARE JUST AS GOOD NEXT SEASON.

TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT DISCOUNT ON NEW SPRING SUITS AND COATS. SAMPLES—NO TWO ALIKE.

COME AND GET YOUR SHARE OF THE GREATEST BARGAINS EVER OFFERED.

SIEGEL'S STORE, 57 MARKET ST.

The Store of Quality for the People

UNEMPLOYED ARE SET AT LIBERTY

101 Plead Guilty and Are Freed—12 "Not Guilty" Are Convicted.

New York, March 10.—One hundred and one of the 190 men who followed Frank Tannenbaum, the young industrial worker of the world leader, into a Catholic church last Wednesday night, demanding food and shelter, pleaded guilty yesterday and were set at liberty under suspension of sentence. Twelve pleaded not guilty.

They were quickly convicted and remanded for sentence today. Only one pleaded not guilty and obtained his discharge. The charge in all of the 114 cases was disorderly conduct.

The only man found guiltyless and discharged was Ernest Rutherford, a young machinist, who said he came here from Russellville, Ga., ten days ago. Rutherford said he was caught in a jam in the vestibule of the church and held there by the crowd until the police swooped down and made arrests.

The district attorney's office announced that Tannenbaum's case probably will be ready for presentation to the grand jury today.

KITTERY POINT

What Is Happening in the Harbor Town.

The next meeting of the Women's Workers will occur at the home of Mrs. Jessie Johnson.

It is now nearly a month since the Maine R. R. Commissioners ordered the Boston and Maine R. R. to open the passenger and freight stations in this place, but up to Monday, March 9, the order had not been complied with. This circumstance serves to strengthen a prevalent impression that the usefulness of that august body, the Maine Board of R. R. Commissioners, can be most fully described by a large and perfectly formed epithet.

The clamor at the Commons House, announced for Thursday evening, has been postponed indefinitely.

Miss Marjorie Cutts is the guest of friends in Deerfield, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blake entertained Mrs. Daniel L. Seawards of Somerville, Mass., on Sunday.

Lieut. Grace Young of the Salvation Army in Hildeford, Me., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Angus Smith.

Nelson Moulton of Portsmouth visited friends in town on Sunday.

The Christian Endeavor prayer meeting will be held in the First Christian church at 7.30 on Tuesday evening. Topic, "How to prevent poverty." Psalms 7:11-19. Mrs. N. E. Emery, leader.

Prayer meeting will be held in the vestry of the Free Baptist church on Tuesday evening at 7.30.

Arrived: Steamer Charles F. Mayer, from Baltimore.

Arrived and called: Sch. Mabel E. Goss, Boston for Portland.

Urban Norton of North Kittery visited friends in town on Monday.

Mrs. Eliza J. Adams is critically ill at her home.

A Young People's Christian Endeavor Society has been organized at the First Congregational church. The

Group of World's Baseball Tourists On Their Return From Europe



New York, March 10. With Johnny McEraw, Ted Egan, Sam Crawford and the other world touring baseball players from the Giants and the White Sox leaning over the rail and shouting greetings to friends before the Lusitania of the Cunard line steamed to her pier, and as the faces of the familiar diamond heroes became dis-

tinguishable through the mist, fans gave a series of cheers that were heard a mile away. Scattered through the crowd on the pier were celebrities from the Boston league, willing and anxious to bid against the employees of the many National and American league clubs on board the vessel. Some time before the Lus-

itania gave a signal to start, the crowd on the pier that had gathered to see the players made by wireless and would play with the Red Sox next season. The players in the tugboat were: No. 1, Winger; No. 2, Sam Crawford; No. 3, Lee Mac-Donald; No. 4, Tyus Speaker; No. 5, Mike Doolan.

Following have been elected officers: President, Miss Anna Moulton.

Vice President, Miss Beatrice Clark.

Secretary, Miss Marjorie Cutts.

Treasurer, Miss Edith Bailey.

The society will meet on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. George May has returned from a visit to relatives in Boston.

Miss Camilla Emery has been entertaining Miss Carrie Follinsbee of Portsmouth.

Mrs. Henry Blake entertained relatives from North Kittery on Sunday.

Almonde Chamberlain of Kittery was a Sunday visitor in town.

Fred Wendell of Portsmouth was a visitor in town on Monday.

A Japanese Carnival will be held in the vestry of the Free Baptist church on Wednesday evening.

CLUB TO ENTERTAIN.

The Stock Athletic Club is the latest social organization to come forth with headquarters in the West End district. On the night of March 17 the club will entertain with a musical program and supper and a number of artists in the vocal line will be heard at their best.

THE PORTSMOUTH DIRECTORY.

The publishers for the names for the new directory commenced their work on Monday. The work is to be

very thorough and the publishers would ask the people to be as explicit as possible in giving their information. Their benevolent aim is to make the directory the complete publication which is desired. The names of Rev. Greenland, Newington and New Castle will in all probability be incorporated into this year's directory.

THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Girls Try It! Hair Gets Soft, Fluffy and Luxuriant at Once—No More Falling Hair

If you care for heavy hair that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life, has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Dandruff.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff, you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scalp robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots flanch, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and its thin, faded, dry, scraggy or two only, get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandruff at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Dandruff. If eventually—why not now?

RAILROAD NOTES

In a bulletin posted at the passenger station at Concord Assistant Superintendent Esquire of the Southern division says: "It has been complained that there is an excessive amount of whistling at Ferry street at different times, both night and day, and more particularly in connection with the freight engines. Engineers should avoid any unnecessary whistling, bearing in mind that it is an annoyance to residents in that vicinity."

Gummers in railroad circles have it that Superintendent Robinson of the Southern division will apply for six months' leave of absence shortly.

Harry I. Miller, when asked regarding the report that he might become either president or receiver of Boston and Maine said: "There is no truth in such rumors. I am simply conducting an examination of the road's condition at request of directors."

Southern New England Railroad (Grand Trunk) is buying real estate along proposed route in southern

Worcester county, according to 27

calls this spring. Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul has postponed indefinitely the work of double-tracking between Minneapolis and Aberdeen, S. D., a distance of 253 miles, of which 110 miles has been already double-tracked. The remaining 143 miles were to have been laid with rails this spring.

Wabash telegraphers have asked the courts for 15 per cent increase in wages.

Big Four has closed its shops at Peoria, Ill., where the employees opposed piece work system.

Passenger agents report only slight decrease in demand for exclusive compartments and drawing room since rates were increased. Pullman officials report no complaints, but insist that they derive no benefit from higher charges and there is no possibility of a further increase in Pullman rates so far as they know now.

PEOPLE'S OPINIONS

Deplorable Conduct of One.

Tacoma, Navy Yard.

March 8, 1914.

To the Editor of Portsmouth Herald: Dear Sir—The well behaved colored sailors of the Tacoma, deeply regret that their dance was marred by one of their own men's ungentlemanly conduct, and beg of the fair minded populace of Portsmouth not to judge all by (Greenidge's) antics. As should we give another affair we would like the best colored citizens to attend. Greenidge and his like will be barred. Respectfully, C. RUSSDIA.

DAILY MOTION PICTURES

The advertising columns of this newspaper are daily motion pictures of the business activity of this community and a good part of the rest of the world.

"They show the ebb and flow of trade. They reflect the prosperity of our people. If this newspaper did nothing else than to present these advertisements to its readers day by day it would be rendering good service."

Every newspaper reader should be an advertising reader.

It means being better informed and being posted at all times as to the good things the market offers.

It is the kind of reading that is entirely to your profit. Begin today—the advertisements are particularly interesting.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Calvina S. Brown.

Mrs. Calvina S. Brown, wife of Amos S. Brown, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George L. Collins, in Rye, today, aged 77 years.

Most disfiguring skin eruptions, scurf, pimples, rash, etc., are due to impure blood. Burdock Blood Purifiers as a cleansing blood tonic, is well recommended, \$1.00 at all stores.

CHINESE ENTERTAINMENT

Baptist Missionary Society to Present Novel Program.

The Women's Baptist Foreign Missionary society, connected with the Middle Street Baptist church, will meet on Friday evening at the church chapel, on State street when the following interesting program on China will be presented:

Facts About China, Members.

Present Day Conditions in China, Mrs. W. O. Sides.

Topsey-Turvey Land, Mrs. George Davis.

Mercantile Work in China, Mrs. W. P. Stanley.

Phong Solo, Miss Evelyn Hodger.

The Chinese Revolution, Mrs. A. C. Willey.

An East China Farther Light, Miss Hardy.

Vocal solo, Miss Joy.

Chinese Game, Cal Calculating Mouse, Chinese Children—Miss Schurman.

Grace Duckmaster, Bertha Sossville, Wyatt Wendell, Parker Schurman.

Bernard Davis, American Joy—Earle McDonald.

Dialogue, Over the Tea-cups in China—Missionary, Miss Annie Chapman.

Bible Woman—Miss Lillian Kistler.

Worship—Mrs. Wilbur Shaw, Harless Mrs. George Davis.

Chinese Women—Mrs. W. Schurman, Mrs. Part French.

Vocal Solo, Mr. Harry Caswell.

Costume Dialogue, Who Is Queer? Chinese Boys—Wyatt Wendell, Bernard Davis, Herbert Davis, American Joy—Earle McDonald.

Violin Solo, Wyatt Wendell.

Chinese Wedding Ceremony, Bride—Miss Schurman, Groom—Parker Schurman.

Wedding Party—Wyatt Wendell, Grace Duckmaster, Bernard Davis, Herbert Davis, Bertha Sossville.

Missionary Hymn, No. 46.

BOWERY A. C. CHALLENGE.

As the Portsmouth Brewery Bowling team has defeated Frank James Brewery team and McCarthy's team at the Arcade Alloys in a manner similar to that of rolling empty kegs into a team, they feel that they are entitled to a challenge. Whichever of these World Beaters will meet the challenge of the Bowery team at the Arcade Alloys on Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. and accept the challenge issued by the Bowery A. C. we will show him when we roll at the match that we are from Missouri as to their being unbeatable.

LITTLE BOWERY A. C.

Per Manager.

"TIZ" EASES TIRED, SORE, SWOLLEN FEET

Just take your shoes off and then put these weary, shoe-crushed, aching, burning, corn-pierced, blunton-tortured feet of yours in a "TIZ" bath.

Your toes will wriggle with joy; they'll look up at you and almost talk and then they'll take another dive in that "TIZ" bath.

When your feet feel all tired out just try "TIZ." It's grand—Your feet will dance with joy; no more pain to corns, callouses and bunions. There's nothing like "TIZ." It's the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which pull up your feet and cause foot torture.

Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" at any drug or department store—don't wait. Ah! how glad your feet get; how comfortable your shoes feel. You can wear shoes a size smaller if you desire.

STRIPPED GEARS

Have us overhaul your transmission—the intermediate gears wear quickly and if they are not replaced they are very apt to strip, injuring other gears besides leaving you perhaps miles out on a lonely road.

Transmission bearing and gears need an expert examination at least once a year—neglect to have this done will spell high expense and very serious inconvenience.

OUR MECHANICS KNOW transmissions—let them overhaul your car now.

SINCLAIR GARAGE

ARTHUR W. HORTON, Mgr.

Tel. 282-3.

DRYDEN WON MATCH WITH BRUCE IN HARD BATTLE

Bill Dryden defeated John Bruce, the stocky Swedish wrestler, in a hard-fought match at Freeman's hall on Monday evening, the match going to three falls. It was one of the best matches seen here, for the Swede is a wonderful wrestler, who knows all the angles of the game and with a wonderful build for a wrestler. He is a finely built chap, with a great development of the neck and shoulders, and he uses these to a good effect in his bridges. It is doubtful if any wrestler who has ever shown in this city can compare with Bruce in this direction. Once he gets a bridge, Dryden's superior weight no matter how applied, could not break it.

Bruce also has a faculty of wiggling out of about any kind of a hold and time after time he would roll himself loose from what looked like finishing holds. His short stature bothered Dryden and he could not seem to be able to maintain a hold.

Bruce got the first fall in 1 hour

22 seconds, with a body and double arm bar and while Dryden bridged for some time and worked over the stage, he could not shake him loose and he finally dropped his shoulders to the mat.

The second fall came in 22 minutes and 50 seconds, with a double arm bar and body scissors. Trace allowing Dryden to do all of the work.

The final fall went to Dryden in 20 minutes and 40 seconds, with a double arm bar and body scissors, the only kind of a hold that was at all effective on the Swede. Dryden to be sure had several rounds on Bruce, but for all of that it was the best match of the season.

Master Herbert George, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred George of Rogers road, is ill with scarlet fever, and his home has been placed under quarantine.

For best results try a Want Ad.



Music with your meals

With a Victrola you can have music with your meals at home just as you can in the big hotels and restaurants.

And you can have better and more varied music, unless they too use a Victor-Victrola, as many of them do.

Music helps along the meal as well as conversation, and when you have company it makes everything so much more enjoyable.

Come in and get acquainted with the Victor and Victrola (\$10 to \$500). We'll gladly play any music you wish to hear, and explain our easy-payment plan.

FRED W. PEABODY,
Jos. M. Hassett, Mgr.

Open evenings. Tel. Con.



JUST A MINUTE PLEASE

We want just a minute of your time so we can tell you that Easter comes this year on April 12th. We also want you to realize that the present time is not too early to see about the matter of selecting your Easter Suit. We are very proud of the beautiful cloths we have to offer. Our stock of Foreign Goods are especially good this season. Step in at your earliest convenient moment and look them over.

CHARLES J. WOOD,
Maker of Men's Clothes

McKenney-Littlefield Lumber Co.

BUILDING MATERIALS

Cedar Posts, Stakes, Fence Pickets
ROOFINGS

Estimates given to furnish all or any of the materials for your buildings.

328 Market St., Portsmouth

A WARM WELCOME

is assured every visitor who enters a home where our Coal is used. Have you ordered a supply for the heater yet? We have some in now that seems to be

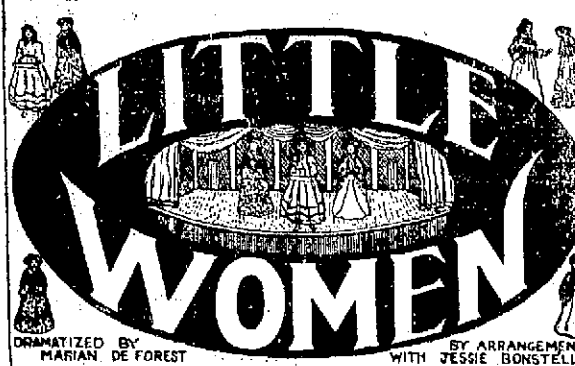
COAL OF EXCEPTIONAL QUALITY

Free from cinders and slag. Our Coal for the kitchen is good, too. How much shall we send you?

THE CONSOLIDATION COAL CO.
Chas. W. Gray, Supt. Phone 2.



THE SUCCESS OF THE CENTURY WEA. BRADY'S PRODUCTION OF THE DRAMATIZATION OF THE WORLD'S MOST FAMOUS STORY — LOUISA M. ALCOTT'S —



MEG, JO, BETH AND AMY BROUGHT TO LIFE ON THE STAGE ONE SOLID YEAR AT THE PLAYHOUSE NEW YORK CITY.

Seats on sale Monday, March 9th, at Box Office.

Prices—35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

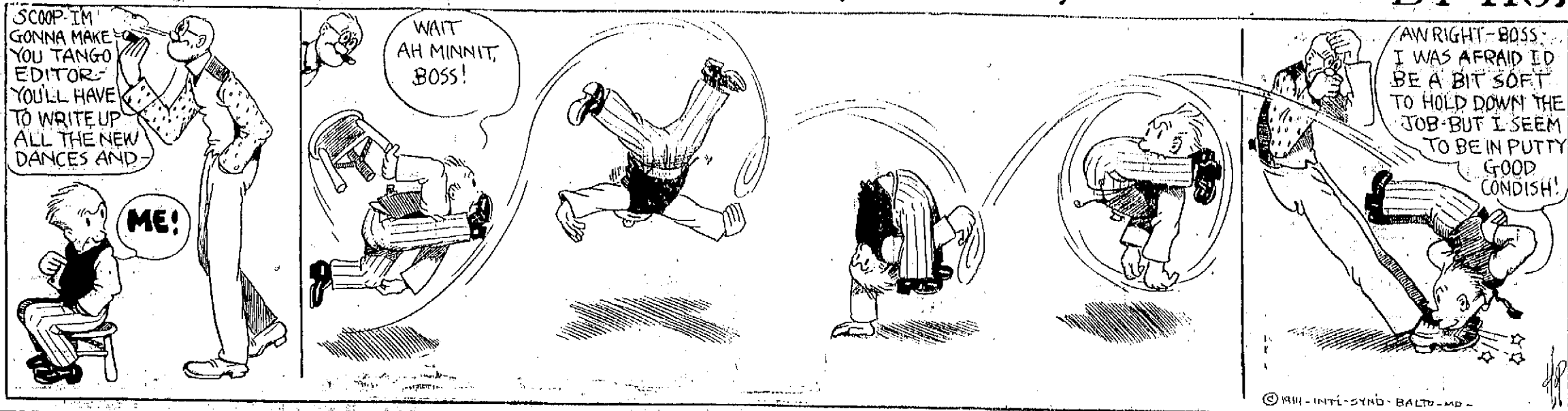
Box Office Hours—8 to 9 a.m., 12.30 to 2 p.m., 5 to 6 p.m., 7 to 8 p.m. Telephone reservations will not be made until 9 o'clock the morning of the sale. All ticket reservations must be called for by 2 p.m. the day of the attraction.

SCOP

THE CUB
REPORTER

Scoop's New Job Will Require Some Strenuousity

BY HOF

HOME RULE GIVES ULSTER AN
OPTION BY VOTE

London, March 9.—Premier Asquith today laid before the House of Commons his proposed concessions to Ulster in regard to its position under the Home Rule Bill.

The announcement, which had been so long and anxiously awaited, was to the effect that before the bill became operative a poll should be taken of the parliamentary electors of each county to decide whether there should be an exclusion of the Ulster counties from the provisions of the bill for a period of six years from the first meeting of the new Irish Parliament.

If the majority of the voters was in favor of this scheme the county would automatically be excluded for the prescribed period.

Before an attendance even bigger than that which listened to the introduction of the Irish Home Rule Bill, Premier Asquith began his statement shortly before 4 o'clock.

He prefaced his speech with the declaration that the Government made these suggestions today not because it was running away from the original bill, but merely to allow the bill to start with the greatest prospect of success.

While there was a possibility of acute dissatisfaction and civil strife in Ulster, said the Premier, yet, if the bill should be shipwrecked or postponed, the outlook was equally formidable.

Supporters of the bill were as convinced today as ever they had been of the soundness of its principles and machinery, continued the Premier. He said they regarded it as a sincere and considerate attempt to place the Irish Government on a solid foundation, without injustice or hardship to any class.

He informed the House that the negotiations for a compromise last Autumn had failed to result even in an approach to an agreement, but had made all realize more than ever the difficulties of the situation.

To meet Ulster's difficulties, they had tried to devise home rule within home rule, but that proposition did not commend itself either to the Nationalists or the Unionists in Ireland.

Only on these occasions when the King himself has opened Parliament have such throngs gathered in the vicinity of Parliament square, where the people hailed with welcoming cheers the statement of the opposing political parties on their arrival.

The doors of the house were opened at 8 and at that time 20 members of Parliament were waiting outside. Within two hours every seat in the house not reserved for members of the Cabinet and Under-Secretaries of State had been appropriated. Those

persons holding tickets for the public gallery also appeared early on the scene.

John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish Nationalist party, held a meeting of his supporters in the House of Commons at noon. The terms of the statement to be made later by Premier Asquith were communicated to the meeting, whose proceedings, however, were strictly private.

In the course of the morning it was announced that Sir Edward Carson, leader of the Ulster Unionists, would attend the debate, as he had sufficient recovered from his illness.

The pickets of militant suffragettes who had waited for days outside his residence in order to obtain from him a promise of Woman Suffrage in case the North of Ireland should receive a government policy, Sir Edward consented shortly after noon to receive a delegation of suffragettes.

"States House, Boston, March 9, 1914.

"My Dear Mr. Jordan:

"Having learned that today is the date of the final introduction of the bill giving Home Rule to Ireland, I am taking this opportunity to write you to express the hope that you will add my personal word of commendation and encouragement in the message which you are to cable in behalf of the United Irish League of America to John E. Redmond, M. P.

"I trust that today is the beginning of the last stage in the great Nationalist reform for Ireland which, when achieved will be a settlement of the struggles of eight centuries for self-government.

"All lovers of liberty and freedom will from this day on look forward more eagerly than ever to the approach of that final day of triumph—the day which is destined to be one of the most important for Irishmen that has ever dawned. Sincerely yours,

David L. Walsh, Governor."

THIEVING IN CITY HOTELS

How an Adept at This Business Was Recently Caught

Panic reigned among the managers and hotel detectives of the most fashionable houses in New York City recently. Night after night some hotel was visited by a thief, or band of thieves, often as many as a dozen rooms in a hotel being looted in a single day. Within an hour or two after a robbery in Fifth avenue a similar case on Broadway would be reported.

Fabulous sums were expended by the hotel men's associations in futile efforts to apprehend the thief. A



Scene from the first act of "LITTLE WOMEN" to be presented with origin at New York company at Portsmouth Theatre Wednesday evening March 11

month after the first robbery was reported, in which period scores of others came to light, the detectives were no nearer a solution of this baffling mystery than the day they started. Harried by the constant reproaches of the men who employed them, they finally admitted that they had nothing tangible to work upon, all clues having failed. In desperation police headquarters was appealed to.

Finally James Kelley, known as the "Artful Dodger," one of the boldest and most successful sneak thieves in the country was arrested. His elation however did not appear against him and he was released. Shortly after this word was received from Minneapolis, Minn., that the "Artful Dodger" was wanted. In that city he had been arrested there for a hotel job and released on bail, which he promptly jumped. As his record was a black one and complaints from cities in the Northwest, Middle West, and the South began to pour in, the detectives redoubled their efforts to capture him.

While seated in the foyer of a Broadway hotel a few nights later the detective who first arrested him was startled to see the "Artful Dodger" faultlessly groomed, enter the hotel, approach the desk and ask for a room without a bath. This the detective later said, was the course always pursued by this swindler. In obtaining a room without a bath he would go to his apartment and partly abscond.

Then emerging from his room under the pretext of seeking a bath, he would try all the doors near his room. Any of these that he found unlocked he would open and enter. Should the occupant be in the room he would humbly apologize for the intrusion, saying that he had mistaken the room for the bath. As he was an adept with skeleton keys, it was an easy matter for him to open any and all doors he might find locked.

No sooner had the "Dodger" signed the register of this Broadway hotel than the detective slipped up. He hid him and clapped a pair of handcuffs on his wrists, informing him of his arrest. Of course a battle followed but handicapped by the shackles on his wrists, the "Dodger" was overpowered and accompanied his captor to police headquarters, whence he was remanded to the house and held subject to the call of the Minneapolis authorities. He was taken to Minneapolis a few days later, tried and convicted and today he is rounding out a long term for burglary.

Another interesting case in which the same detectives figured had to do with the solution of a \$10,000 gem robbery in an uptown hotel, which not only baffled the house detectives but a half dozen private detectives who had been deputed to apprehend the thieves. A Miss Barnes, who was stopping at the hotel was the victim of the robbery. While she was away from the hotel shopping the lock of

her trunk was forced and the gems stolen. Every effort to apprehend the thieves failed. One detective agency had stationed a youth in the hotel who posed as a bell boy. As all signs pointed to this being an inside job it was believed the newcomer might worm himself into the confidence of the other bellboys and thus pick up some valuable clue. The two headquarters detectives who as a last resort had been brought into the case ascertained that the boys then employed in the hotel had been discharged. Two of the bellboys Percy Wyoff and Hubby Willis had left the employ of the hotel a day or two after the robbery. The efforts of other detectives to find these boys were of no avail, but the city detectives went to work with a will and found Wyoff working as a bellboy in another hotel.

Without ceremony they promptly accused Wyoff of the theft, deciding that if their bluff worked it was a chance well worth taking. Wyoff protested his innocence, but after a sweetening process that lasted many hours he confessed his guilt. He was taken back to the hotel and when confronted by Miss Barnes he again admitted that he had stolen her gems.

After holding out for many hours Wyoff finally yielded and led the detectives to the hiding place of Willis, which proved to be a sumptuously appointed apartment which he occupied with his wife.

Willis assumed a defiant air, but when he realized that his one-time friend had squealed, he knew that further denial was useless, so he too, admitted his guilt and that night shared the cell of Wyoff in the toils.

With the "Artful Dodger" in a Minnesota prison and the two bellboys behind the grim walls of Sing Sing, the hotel men in this city once more breathed freely, for until some other sneak thief as clever and resourceful as this trio appears they will enjoy a respite from the nerve-racking strain they underwent when the rooms of their best paying customers were being so ruthlessly looted by the "Dodger."

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
WILL HAVE ELABORATE EXHIBITS AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION

The United States Government is preparing a series of elaborate exhibits for the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, which will be far more comprehensive than any display ever made by it before and will present a complete record of the activities of the government in behalf of the people during the last decade. The exhibit will be distributed among all of the various exhibit palaces and will show every phase of the government activities.

A feature of a sightseeing trip through Washington, D. C., always is a visit to the United States Treasury, where the actual making of paper notes and coin is shown. Reproduction of this part of the treasury will be brought to San Francisco and visitors to the exposition will be enabled to witness the actual manufacture of United States coin in one of the exhibit palaces. The machinery that turns out millions of dollars a day will be taken from one of the United States mints to the exposition and every detail of the mintage displayed.

Few realize just what the United States Fish Commission is doing for the American people and the government is now preparing the construction of an aquarium and, in connection with it, the hatchery in which the various stages of development from the spawn to the full sized fish will be shown.

It is the Fish Commission that keeps the streams and lakes stocked with the edible fishes and by scientific brooding prevents the extinction of species. The spawns are hatched in numbers ranging into the billions, yet, despite the remarkable care with which they are handled only a small percentage of these ever attain maturity. Large "cans of the eggs and the hatched fish are transported from the hatcheries to the streams and

must be fed with air every few moments. This requires constant care and exceptional knowledge. The visitor to this particular exhibit will be taken through various departments and shown the hatching of the eggs, the means of transportation and finally the immense aquarium of the government now being constructed.

For many years the privilege of witnessing actual practice with the big disappearing coast defense guns has been greatly limited and only acquaintance with army men or influence in Washington could gain the desired permission.

The government now has consented to permit the visitors to the exposition to have free access to forts adjoining the exposition grounds.

Daily practice on the big guns with sub-caliber charges will be held and weekly target practice with full charges. Each time of these guns is fired with a full charge the cost to the government amounts to several hundred dollars. In addition to this annual feature the several regiments of soldiers stationed at the President's largest army post of the West will maneuver and will hold daily drills and exercises and may even complete with detachments of troops from foreign nations attending the International military tournament.

A postal car will be shown in its entirety with the postal clerks actually operating a railway mail car. There will also be on the grounds a small post office where letters may be mailed. Every detail of the operation of checking, handling and transmitting mail may be seen here.

On the sea front of the exposition site there will be maintained and operated a United States Government life saving station, fully equipped, where exhibition drills will be given daily.

The Navy Department's exhibit will be of exceptional interest. The actual work done on battleships will be displayed and explained in detail by the officers in charge, and the education of the enlisted men will be shown.

The Bureau of Standards is one of

the least known departments of the government, yet its work without question is highly important. It is this department that fixes the standard of weights and measures and millions of dollars are expended to prevent the slightest deviation from the fixed standard. The bar representing one foot in length is composed of two metals joined together in a most ingenious manner and the extreme of temperature will not cause this standard to expand or contract one-millionth part of an inch.

A special laboratory is being constructed by the heads of the department and the various scientific aids requisite to the proper maintenance of the standards will be shown.

Advisory committees will have been appointed by the Bureau of Mines and the Geological Survey and their exhibits will be intensely interesting to the technical students as well as the general public.

To avoid the duplication of exhibits by various educational institutions the government is preparing a unified educational exhibit that will show the progress of the country in education during the last decade.

Special attention will be paid to the Panama Canal, the completion of which the exposition is to celebrate, and a five hundred foot model of the great ditch will be shown. It is said by government experts that a person may gain a great deal better idea of the canal by a visit to this exhibit than could be obtained by actually passing through the canal. The system of hygiene practiced in the canal zone will receive special attention in the national public health display. It was the scientific work of Dr. Gorgas that made possible the construction of the Panama Canal.

WILSON AND MISRULE

Three more years of Wilson. Of Democracy and misrule, For 'the South is in the Saddle,' And the saddle is on a quiver! —Ben Bolt.

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TELEPHONES



Portsmouth, N. H., Tuesday, March 10, 1914.

Back Yard Hen Farming.

In the last few years, many people living in villages and small cities have learned to their pleasure and profit what can be gained by keeping and properly caring for a few hens in the back yard. The practice has been increasing steadily for several years and it bids fair to still further largely increase, as it should. For those who enjoy the work—and no one else should undertake it—there is much pleasure in caring for fowls, and that it is a profitable pastime, if pastime it can be called, will be attested by all who have tried it with the requisite enthusiasm and determination to succeed.

This management of poultry on a small scale is something very different from the poultry business as conducted by those who make a business of it. Such an enterprise demands capital, modern equipment, careful study and constant attention, and many men have failed after doing their best to supply all of these essentials. A man who had no practical knowledge of the poultry business or farming of any kind once said with great emphasis that if he was not tied up to other business he would at the end of one year's time own 5,000 hens and be netting \$5,000 a year from them. He had been reading that others, jumped to the conclusion that to make a fortune out of hens it is only necessary to keep a lot of them.

An agricultural college professor in a recent address before a poultry association spoke of the large scale on which chicken raising is being conducted by many at the present time, alluding to a plant in which 100,000 chickens can be raised in a season. But that sort of thing need not be considered by the city or village man or woman who seeks the pleasures and profits of hen farming on a small scale in the rear of the house. This calls for no outlay worth mentioning, and if proper and intelligent care is bestowed upon the feathered tribe the returns will be found more than satisfactory. A small flock of hens will supply an ordinary family with all the eggs they need, and enough more to pay their keeping.

Such a flock is a good investment, as many have learned and more are learning, even though the birds do not net from \$3 to \$5 a year each.

* Mr. Morgan has passed the "buck" along in his answer to the charges of having made millions out of New England railroad lines. If the Morgan statement is correct then the men responsible for making the charges ought to be sent to jail. The result of all this agitation is hurting the stockholders more than anyone else.

It does not seem as if such a great agricultural country as Canada could be driven to the use of horse meat, and yet it is reported that such meat is being used there to some extent in place of beef. If this is so it would be interesting to know how much beef the country is exporting.

After all has been said about this Panama toll question it is rather tough on the American people that, having paid for the canal, they have no more privileges than England and cannot send our warships through without paying toll.

Tris Speaker, the baseball star, has located the proverbial "room at the top." He has signed a contract which insures him a salary of \$18,000 a year, the highest ever paid in the baseball world.

One of the church disturbers arrested in New York as a member of the unemployed and hungry army had \$700 in his clothes. The authorities should make short work of such a case as that.

It is to be noticed that when Secretary Bryan comes to "our town" to lecture he leaves all his "awfulness" at home. The reception he received at Springfield, Mass., last Sunday is a case in point.

There are nine candidates for the seat in Congress made vacant by the resignation of Mayor Curley of Boston. The desire to serve the country is widespread and insistent.

The South doesn't want the ballot placed in the hands of the colored women, and consequently it will probably take a stand against placing it in the hands of any women.

Some of the English sporting writers think baseball is too "mechanically perfect." But how little they understand the skill that is required to make it so.

No one would complain if the President should send right along to Mexico the armies that are marching on Washington.

Mary had a little lamb, but at present prices there are some of us who cannot afford even that.

If the militants keep it up much longer there may yet have to be intervention in England.

CITY COUNCIL PASS APPROPRIATION BILL

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and the fee therefore shall be paid at the time of the issuing of the license and shall be as follows: the sum of one dollar. Each license granted here under shall expire on the date stated in the license. All moneys received by way of license fees shall be paid into the general fund of the city and every public dance hall shall post its license in a conspicuous place within the hall where the dance is held.

Section 3. No license for a public dance hall shall be issued until it shall be found that such hall complies with and conforms to all ordinances, health and fire regulations of the city; that it is properly ventilated and supplied with sufficient toilet conveniences and is a safe and proper place for the purpose for which it is to be used.

Section 4. The license of any public dance hall may be forfeited or revoked by the mayor for disorderly or immoral conduct on the premises, or for the violation of any of the rules, regulations, ordinances and laws governing or applying to public dance halls or public dances. If at any time the license of a public dance hall shall be forfeited or revoked the hall shall not be used as dance hall until the issuance of another license.

Section 5. It shall be unlawful for any persons, society, club or corporation to hold a public dance or public ball within the limits of the city of Portsmouth without having first obtained a permit therefor from the mayor, the fee for which shall be fifty cents, payable to the city clerk.

Section 6. All public dance halls shall be kept at all times in a clean, healthful and sanitary condition, and all stairways and other passages, and all rooms connected with a dance hall shall be kept open and well lighted.

Section 7. All public dance halls shall be closed on or before the hour of 12:00 o'clock a. m. or 11:00 p. m., on Saturday; provided, however, that upon the application of a bona fide and responsible organization or society the mayor may grant such organization or society a permit to continue a dance until 2 o'clock a. m. No tickets shall be sold or accepted for admission after the hour of twelve o'clock, midnight.

Section 8. All dance halls shall be governed by the following regulations: Improper dancing will not be tolerated; persons so indulging will be ejected.

The hall must be and remain properly lighted.

Gentlemen shall not be permitted in ladies' rooms or parlors.

A police officer appointed by the City Marshal shall be in attendance at all public dances, at the discretion of the mayor, and at the expense of the licensee.

A matron shall be present at every public dance and have entire charge of ladies' rooms. Such matron must be acceptable to the city marshal or designated by him.

These regulations shall be posted in a conspicuous place in the hall.

The matron shall inform the police department of the presence of any person under sixteen years of age in a public dance hall after the hour of seven o'clock p. m., without parent or guardian.

Any person defacing or removing these regulations will be prosecuted.

Section 9. The mayor shall examine all applications for dance hall licenses, and shall investigate each application to determine whether or not the dance hall sought to be licensed complies with the regulations, ordinances and laws applicable thereto, and in the making of such investigation he shall, when desired, have the assistance of the board of health and the chief of the fire department and such other persons as he may designate. The committee shall furnish to the city clerk in writing the information, accompanied by a recommendation, as to whether a license shall be granted or refused. Such committee shall be permitted to have access to all public dance halls at all times. They shall investigate complaints and shall inspect at intervals the dance halls within the city and shall report all violations in writing. No license shall be renewed except after reinspection of the premises as provided herein.

Section 10. Any person, persons, society, club or corporation who shall violate the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction thereof be fined not less than Twenty Dollars and the cost of prosecution, and on default of payment thereof the person making application for a permit shall be imprisoned for a period not exceeding thirty (30) days.

Section 11. The person, persons, society, club or corporation desiring a permit to hold a public dance or a public ball shall use the following form of application, a copy of which shall be secured from the city clerk: Portsmouth, N. H., 1914.

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen: The undersigned, on behalf of _____, hereby makes application for a permit to give a public dance at No. _____ street, on _____ 1914. It is hereby expressly agreed that said dance shall be conducted in strict accordance with the provisions of the law regulating public dances and public balls; and the undersigned agrees that the permit is given and accepted subject to the provisions of this application, and that he shall be held responsible for any violation of any provision of law or ordinance regulating such public dance. The owner or lessee of the premises in which such dance is to be held is _____ Address No. _____ Street, (Ave.) _____ Name _____ Occupation _____ Address _____

Rancher Whose Death In Mexico Has Caused International Trouble



The killing of William S. Benton by General Francisco (Pancho) Villa and the failure of the United States thus far to obtain the facts as to the manner of his death or the possession of his body have caused serious international complications. Benton was a Scotchman who had a large ranch in northern Mexico.

responsible for any violation of any provision of law or ordinance regulating such public dance. The owner or lessee of the premises in which such dance is to be held is _____ Address No. _____ Street, (Ave.) _____ Name _____ Occupation _____ Address _____

Section 12. The city clerk shall keep an indexed record of licenses and permits issued, as in this ordinance provided, together with a record of convictions for violations of the provisions of this ordinance.

Section 13. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after April 1, 1914.

Appropriation Bill.

Councilman Bennett of the Finance Committee reported the annual appropriation bill, which passed its several readings under a suspension of the rules and its final reading by Bennett by a unanimous vote.

The bill is as follows:

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fourteen

A Resolution Raising Money and Making Appropriations for the Year 1914.

(Resolved by the City Council of the City of Portsmouth, N. H., assented to as follows:

Section 1. That there shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and rateable estates within said city the sum of \$237,088.86, (Two Hundred and Thirty Seven Thousand and Eighty-Eight Dollars and Eighty-Six Cents) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of the city for the ensuing year, which together with the sums which may be received from licenses, taxes on savings bank deposits, railroads, and from other sources, shall be appropriated as follows:

Assessors of Taxes

Salary of Board, including Clerk, \$2,400.00

Clerical assistance, 300.00

Equipment, supplies and incidentals, 575.00

\$3,275.00

Collector of Taxes

Three-fourths of one per cent of the amount collected, (estimated) 1,850.00

Elections

Salaries of registrars, ward officers, printing, etc. 2,000.00

Salaries

Mayor 500.00

City Clerk 1,000.00

Messenger 800.00

Treasurer 500.00

Solicitor 500.00

Auditor 1,200.00

4,500.00

General Expenses

Equipment

Printing, stationery and supplies. Premium on city officials security bonds incidentals etc. 2,015.00

2,015.00

Duties

Interest on bonds 228,675.00

See this space tomorrow.

CURRENT OPINION

Working Conditions of
Years Ago Not Possible
in These Days.

When I decided to go into the iron business I went and had a long talk with Peter Cooper, and he helped me, and we became good friends in a business and a social way. The firm of Cooper, Hewitt & Co. was the first firm in America to make steel and iron structural beams, and I became a competitor of that firm. Well, the result of my chat with Mr. Cooper was a friendly trade agreement, and that trade agreement, which benefited all concerned, was really the beginning of what we now call trusts. We violated no laws.

Of course, I recognize that times have changed, and I bow to the spirit of the times. I realize, too, that the working conditions possible in those days are no longer possible in these times. But they were memorable days, and your founder deserves to be honored with Lincoln on the birthday of that great statesman, which also was his. Cooper and Lincoln are typical of the real manhood of America.

And of course you and I, gentlemen, will always love this country—this America. And why shouldn't we? Here all men are equal, and every that gives cause for social warfare among us.—Andrew Carnegie in talk to Cooper Union Graduates, New York, on Lincoln's Birthday.

Salaries of Board	400.00	Removing moths	1,000.00
Salary of Inspector of plumbing	200.00	Trimming trees	500.00
Salary of sanitary inspector	750.00	Spraying	400.00
Recording vital statistics	600.00	Maintenance of fountains	275.00
Fumigating material	150.00	Maintenance of roads	3,500.00
Supplies, incidentals, printing	370.00	Maintenance of bridges	200.00
	2,300.00	Guard rail, 8x18, Sagamore Bridge	100.00
Police Department		Outing roads	3,500.00
Salary of Commissioners	175.00	Maintenance of state roads	1,000.00
Salary of Marshal	1,200.00	Maintenance of sidewalks	1,500.00
Salary of Assistant Marshal	1,000.00	Hauling cinders	1,000.00
Salary of Captain of Night Watch	1,050.00	Maintenance of sewers	2,500.00
Salary of twelve policemen at \$1,000.75	12,045.75	Parke	1,200.00
Special police	60.00	Payroll	1,200.00
Telephone	125.00	Equipment and Supplies	100.00
Medicines and Medical attendance	50.00	Equipment and supplies, Fire St.	200.00
Notices	32.00	Equipment and supplies, South St.	200.00
Laundry	15.00	Lights and water	350.00
Carling	25.00	Supervision of playgrounds	525.00
Interpreters	60.00	Grading and drainage	200.00
Bonds for officers	43.50	Contingent fund	7,500.00
Sundries	100.00		
	35,941.00	Total Appropriation	286,927.94
Poor Department		Less Estimated Income	
Salary, Overseer	200.00	Interest	1,000.00
Support of Poor	5,000.00	Licenses	38,000.00
	5,200.00	Insurance Tax	1,341.75
Public Buildings and Places		Railroad Tax	8,119.40
City Hall Maintenance	1,500.00	Savings Banks	21,777.63
Cemetery	50.00	Miscellaneous	700.00
City Clocks, Light and care	300.00		48,938.78
Bell Ringing	90.00		
Insurance	225.00	Amount to be raised by taxation	287,088.86
Repairs to Municipal building	1,500.00	Section 2. The amounts herein appropriated shall be used exclusively for the purposes stated and no transfer therefrom shall be made except by resolution of the city council, and no expenditures shall be made by any department in excess of funds available, under penalty of Chapter 212, Section 29, Laws of 1905.	
Removal of Moths	75.00	The annual appropriation bill for the water department was passed under suspension of the rules and it is as follows:	
	3,740.00		
Public Library			
Salary of Librarian, assistants and Janitor	1,900.00		
Fuel	250.00		
Lights	200.00		
Binding and repairing books	650.00		
Insurance	150.00		
Water, box rent, supplies	100.00		
Magazines and binding	150.00		
Repairs and printing	100.00		
Children's room	100.00		
New cases and chairs	100.00		
	3,700.00		
Sealer of Weights and Measures	50.00		
Street Lights			
Minimum price under contract	11,000.00		
School Department			
In addition to the lawful income of the school department which is made up of dog licenses fees, literary and tuition funds	50,500.00		
Water rentals	271.72		
	50,771.72		
Taxes			
County	21,563.82		
State	24,368.30		
Abatements	1,200.00		
Discounts	8,500.00		
	55,632.12		
Miscellaneous			
Portsmouth Hospital	500.00		
Memorial Day	400.00		
Claims	400.00		
	1,300.00		
Public Works			
Salaries	1,300.00		
Office expenses	200.00		
Street payroll	12,000.00		
Material and supplies	625.00		
Crushed stone	1,000.00		
Tools and equipment			
Scarifier	400.00		
Drag	10.00		
2 carts	270.00		
Harnesses	35.00		
Repairs, road roller	300.00		
Repairs, carts	50.00		
Repairs, scraper	10.00		
New Jigger	150.00		
Tar kettle	75.00		
Sewer rods	50.00		
Two wheel barrows	12.00		
Five lengths, sewer hose	25.00		
Two doz. pails and sundry small tools	55.00		
Repairs, road grader	25.00		
	1,520.00		
Repairs to asphalt	600.00		
Hay, grain and straw	1,000.00		
Shoeing and repairing	400.00		
Fuel, light, water	150.00		
Repairs to buildings	250.00		

Section 2. The amounts herein appropriated shall be used exclusively for the purposes stated and no transfer therefrom shall be made except by resolution of the city council, and no expenditures shall be made by any department in excess of funds available, under penalty of Chapter 212, Section 29, Laws of 1905.

The annual appropriation bill for the water department was passed under suspension of the rules and it is as follows:

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

In the year 1914

A Resolution Making an Appropriation to Maintain the Water Works for the Year 1914.

Resolved, by the city council of the city of Portsmouth, N. H., assembled: To maintain the water works for the year 1914 the sum of Sixty-Nine Thousand, Nine Hundred Fifty-Nine Dollars, (69,959.00) is hereby appropriated. Said sum shall be taken from the water rates and other sources of income of said water works and used exclusively for the purpose stated herein and no transfer therefrom shall be made except by resolution of the city council and no expenditure shall be made in excess of the funds available, under penalty, provided in chapter 212, section 29, laws of 1905.

Management.

Salaries 2,482.00

Expenses 300.00

Operation, Pumping payroll 10,000.00

Fuel 6,000.00

Electric Power 1,200.00

Repairs, material and supplies 1,900.00

Express, freight and trucking 100.00

Incidentals 150.00

Mains and Services 4,500.00

Payroll 1,000.00

Material and supplies 300.00

Stable expense 17,700.00

Meters 100.00

Extension and Construction 50.00

Payroll 500.00

Material 500.00

Sundries 500.00

To be paid into the sinking fund from revenue and credited to the water works 8,650.00

Interest on water bonds 14,300.00

69,959.00

Firemen May Elect Their Own Officers.

Councilman Duncan for the Committee on Fire Department, offered an amendment to the city ordinances, allowing the fire companies to elect their own officers. It passed.

A resolution authorizing the Mayor to make a temporary loan of \$85,000.

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WORTH KNOWING.

Radium is a remarkable substance of great scarcity, a mineral element, and among many others possesses the property of producing photographic or electric effects by a process analogous to radiation. It also possesses the curious property of giving off heat indefinitely without any appreciable change in the substance itself. It is highly valued in the scientific world and is said to exert a wonderful influence in destroying malignant tumors. Its scarcity makes it of enormous value and as yet not more than half a pint has been collected.

What is the origin and meaning of Starboard and Larboard?

See this space tomorrow.

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James L. Chase of Ayer Is No
Longer "Deserter."

Washington, March 10.—After half a century the name of James L. Chase of Ayer has been honorably cleared by the war department, which yesterday entered against it the order that a charge of desertion be removed and "soldier's discharge," dated April 13, 1864, be inserted.

Mr. Chase was a member of Co. F, 3d New Hampshire Volunteers, and for nearly two decades he has endeavored to have his record corrected. Bills to that end were introduced by Ex-Senator Crane and the late Representative Wilder, while his efforts have been supported by Senator Lodge Representative Mitchell in an earlier Congress, and Representative Rogers in this Congress.

The action of the war department followed a final conference between Mr. Rogers and Adj. Gen. Andrews, who consented to settle the case favorably.

PLYMOUTH THEATRE.

At the Plymouth Theatre, Boston, where "Under Cover" is delighting thousands of theatregoers, preparations are being made for the celebration of the 100th performance of the play. The anniversary date of this remarkable run falls on Friday, Mar. 20, and it is announced that a handsome souvenir will be distributed among the lady patrons attending on that evening. "Under Cover" is doing more than merely pleasing the play-going public. Aside from the fact that it has already established the season's record run there is every indication that the piece is destined to top some of the record runs in the theatrical history of the city. It is now in its thirteenth week and judging from its present popularity and prosperity one would be led to believe that the play had just entered upon its engagement. A really delightful evening of fun, thrills and surprises "Under Cover" is just the play to see. At this time of the year it proves an excellent tonic of stimulating power. The play tells an interesting story of smuggling and America's smart social set. It carries you through four acts of rapid fire speed, bristling with breezy and snappy dialogues. Selwyn and company, the producers, has staged the play in a richly elaborate manner and surrounded it with a cast of notable players headed by William Courtenay, who needs little introduction to New England playgoers. Mr. Courtenay appears in the role of Steven Dombay, a supposed smuggler in the confidence of wealthy and influential New Yorkers. In order to capture him the customs officials employ a society girl. And here you have the greatest game in the world. A woman's wiles win pitted against a man's cunning and shrewd ways. To tell you how it ends would spoil a big part of the enjoyment. Why not come and see for yourself? We would advise you, however, to send in your order for seats right now. Make your check or money order payable to Fred E. Wright, and you can feel assured that it will be given immediate and careful attention. There are Thurs-

day and Saturday matinees and the scale of prices are 50 cents to \$2.00.

RYE NEWS

The Social Circle of the Christian Church will hold a social in the vestry on Wednesday evening. Supper will be served from 6.30 to 8 o'clock, followed by an entertainment.

The hostesses will be Mrs. Wilbur Marden, Mrs. Herman Rand and Mrs. Channsey Woodman.

The grand masquerade dancing party which was postponed from Friday because of the inclement weather, will be held on Wednesday evening in Rye town hall. Budget's orchestra will furnish the music. There will be late cars for North Hampton and Portsmouth. Refreshments will be served and prizes awarded for the best costumes.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

REAL knowledge, like everything else of value, is not to be obtained easily. It must be worked for, studied for, thought for, and more than all, prayed for. —Thomas Arnold.

EASY HALF-HOUR DISHES.

For the busy woman who has much to do, it is a wise plan to have a list of recipes that may be quickly prepared on short notice.

Soups of various kinds which come in cans will, of course, be quickly served. But creamed soups, of potatoes, onions, carrots, asparagus, and in fact almost any vegetable, can be prepared and served in half an hour. If the vegetable is finely cut before cooking.

Many kinds of fish, besides the fried variety, are easily cooked in half an hour.

Escalloped dishes, from cold fish or other foods, are ready to serve as soon as they are thoroughly hot.

A glance at the list of quick dishes will tell you if you have the materials at hand, and the regret will be saved that you might have had this or that if "I had only thought." In the hurry of a quick meal getting one's memory is often faulty and not to be relied upon.

Tomato toast is a delicious quick lunch dish. Omelets of various and sundry kinds are always popular, and if you have a little cold meat which, with a hot sauce like the Mexican or Spanish, will serve as a good main dish.

Oyster stew is a simple dish and quickly made, quite filling, and almost always popular.

Cream toast is one of the simple good old-fashioned dishes. With the addition of cheese it raises its food value.

Baked eggs with creamed potatoes is another way of using less eggs.

A dessert, in a hurry, of preserved or canned peaches with whipped cream, or none at all, with a piece of cake or a cookie, is a good finish to a meal.

Nellie Maxwell.

How Some Gamblers Are Made.

Chicago.—The influence of mothers who play bridge and fathers who indulge in poker promotes the interest of children in games of chance and makes gamblers of them, Mrs. Arie R. Black told the Chicago Women's Association of Commerce.

MANY SUMMONED.

Many local business men have been handed \$1.52 and then summoned before a justice of the peace for the taking of their deposition in the case of the R. C. L. and P. Co. tax case.

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KITTERY

Breezy Items From the Village Across the River.

Town election on Monday passed off very quietly and quickly, only about one hundred votes being cast, and but one ticket being in the field. It seems that this number is very small for a town whose voters number from seven to eight hundred, and shows that very little interest is manifested in the appropriation of money for the running of the town and the transaction of other business matters which invariably come up at this time. Our town is in the hands of very efficient and capable men, who give their best efforts for the welfare of the town. But the annual town election and other business of that day should call all voters out so that they can know just what is being done. Too often it is the case of when the tax bill is received they are wont to remark, "My taxes are much higher this year than last. I don't believe there is any need of it." If they would attend the town meeting every year they would see that there is just need of the increase. The money appropriated a few years ago would not suffice now by a large amount. Take our schools, for instance. It is necessary to pay higher wages to get efficient teachers and give our scholars better advantages, therefore the appropriation must be greatly increased. Also general labor is increased, for to get workmen for the town, we must give the wages they can get elsewhere. Then we demand more improvements every year, all of which cost extra money. The "high cost of living" strikes the town as a whole as well as the individual voter, and when the town meeting day comes every year, every voter should make it his duty to go, and he will see then that all appropriations are just, and perhaps, upon reflection, wonder how our "town fathers" run the affairs of the town as well as they do on the sums allowed them. Next year it is hoped that they will be at least a vote of two-thirds of the voters, to show that the interest in town affairs has not been lost entirely.

Below we give the appropriations of yesterday's meeting:

Contingent fund, \$2500; roads and bridges, \$4000; poor department, \$1400; common schools, \$4500; high school, \$2300; maintenance of school property, \$1200; text books for common schools, \$500; text books for high school, \$175; town debt, \$1500; interest on debt, \$850; night watchman, \$200; Memorial day, \$100; to erect hydrants, \$1800; care of highways, \$600; clearing snow from streets, \$400; extermination of brown tail and red-bellied moths, \$1500; to construct a street from Whipple road to Old Ferry lane, the land being donated by Mrs. Frances Bowen, \$350; street lights, \$2000; to cut down old cherry and apple trees along the highways, \$300; to repair M.C. bridge at North Kittery, \$500; for repairs on state road, \$200; voted to pay all laborers \$2.25 per day and all teams, \$2.50, and teamsters, \$2.00. It was voted to purchase 250 feet of hose to be located at Kittery Junction. The article in the warrant to buy steel cells for the lockup was defeated, as was also the petition for additional electric lights. The appropriations on the whole amounts to about the same as that of last year. The town officers remain the same.

William Booth, expert aid to the civil engineer at the navy yard, who is on duty at the navy yard in connection with the geographical survey now being made of the yard, will shortly move his family from to Boston to the William Brown house at the Intervene.

The many friends of Mr. Allan Taylor of Pierson street will be sorry to learn that he is critically ill, having suffered an ill turn on Monday.

Alfred Grogins of Rogers road has returned from a visit to relatives at his former home in Biddeford.

A regular meeting of Constitution Lodge, No. 88, Knights of Pythias, will be held this evening at Odd Fellows hall, after which there will be an important meeting of the Constitution Aid Society, and a full attendance of members is desired.

Mrs. Helen A. Johnson of Love lane is reported as being slightly improved. Nearly all members of Canton Hayse, No. 7, Patriotic Militant, left for Biddeford this afternoon where they will give an exhibition drill this evening at the meeting of Canton Dearborn. They will return tomorrow morning on the early Pullman.

Mrs. J. Samuel Whidden of Exeter is passing a few days in town with relatives.

Wilson Long of Malden, Mass., passed the week end with relatives in town.

Mrs. George Wilson of Wentworth street is passing a few days with relatives in Haverhill, Mass.

Mr. Charles Glidden of Lynn spent the week end at his home in town.

Mr. James Locke of the Intervene is reported as being ill.

A special meeting of Kittery Grange will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at Grange hall to act on applications and to appoint a committee for veterans' night.

Raymond W. Brackett has resumed his duties on the navy yard after a few days' vacation.

Mrs. Ida Knight of Sacon, Mo., returned to her home yesterday after passing a few days with relatives in town.

Mrs. Washington Abrams of the Intervene is said to be very ill.

A dance will be given this evening at Grange hall by the "Silent Three." Mrs. Littlefield is reported to be quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Parker of Government street.

Miss Marie Sherburne of North Berwick was a visitor in Portsmouth on Monday.

Fresh fish at Foye's Wharf. 2c

The Grange Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. Annie Burnham of Woodlawn avenue on Wednesday afternoon.

There promises to be a large attendance at the dance to be held in Grange hall this evening under the auspices of several well known young men.

CITY COUNCIL PASS APPROPRIATION BILL

(Continued from Page Four.)

was passed.

On motion of Councilman Duncan the Mayor was authorized to employ counsel to assist in defending the city in the Rockingham County Light and Power suit.

A recommendation of Inspector of Fire Alarm called, that box 17 at the foot of Daniel street, be changed to the corner of Chapel and Daniel street was adopted.

An agent for the Publisher was present and suggested that the city should own one of these instruments. The matter was finally referred to a special committee consisting of Councilmen Bennett, Dowell and Schurman.

The auditor's report of bills amounting to \$76.93 were ordered paid.

Adjourned to April 2.

A GOOD ADVANCE SALE

Seats are selling rapidly for the engagement of "Little Women" at the Portsmouth Theatre, Wednesday evening, March 11.

It would seem that everybody had read this charming story of 40 years ago, which today is as fresh and as wholesome as when first written.

Large and repeated editions of "Little Women" have been published in England, France and Germany, translations have been made into the language of the two countries last mentioned. The book has also been printed in raised letters for the blind. It is in all school libraries, is used by all teachers, and is one of the works with which all embryonic instructors must familiarize themselves who go through the training schools of Greater New York.

William A. Brady, who is making the production, writes: "I believe 'Little Women' is a great play. Since I began negotiations for it I have not met a man, woman or child, who is not familiar with the book and full charm of it. My own boy told me all about it. The story lends itself to dramatization as few published narratives do. There are no long descriptive passages to be missed by those who remember the story and see the play with a life with familiar incidents and intimate character."

An excellent cast has been secured to portray Meg, Jo, Beth, Amy, Laurie, Mr. and Mrs. March, the professor, Aunt March, grumbling Hannah and all the old favorites contained within the covers of the book. When these characters appear on the stage it will be like having old friends to welcome home.

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next Monday, Mme. Claire Dorya, the world-famous Parisian Coloratura, soprano, together with the Metropolitan company's photo production of Charles Dickens' "David Copperfield" will begin a limited engagement. This combined attraction, either of which by itself is worth double the price of admission, will appear in Boston for the first time. Mme. Dorya will render a brilliant program of operatic gems. Her voice has been described by critics as one of rare sweetness and phenomenal high in range, reaching to F above high C with ease. The production of "Dickens" masterpiece is one of the most remarkable ever made. It is presented in seven parts by an excellent company of English actors. Many of the important scenes described in the book are admirably presented in the play. The adaptation follows closely to the book and many of the pictures shown were taken on the ground described by the author. The title character is played by Ede Desmond, a remarkably versatile juvenile actor. For a literary

as well as musical treat no better entertainment could be offered. The engagement is limited for a short time only and there will be daily matinees with the following prices: 25 cents, 35 cents and 50 cents. The performances will start at 2 and 8.

P. A. C. MINSTRELS' TICKET SALE.

Tickets for the P. A. C. minstrel show Monday and Tuesday evenings, March 16th and 17th, go on sale Friday morning next, (10th inst.) for the first performance, and on Saturday morning next (14th inst.) for the second performance.

(General admission 35c and 50c. Reserved seats, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.) Purchasers limited to ten tickets for either performance.

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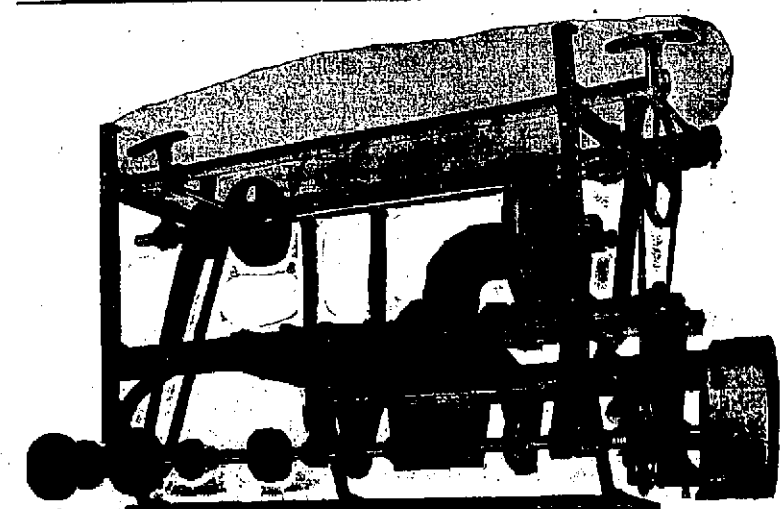
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LOCAL DASHES

Dr. Pickering, dentist, 32 Congress st., light automobile lamps at 5.15 this evening.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 188.

800 to 1000 miles on one gallon of oil, Cadillac.

P. A. C. Minstrels Monday and Tuesday eve's, March 16-17.

Damon Lodge, No. 3, Knights of Pythias, meets this evening.

John H. Dowd's Marble and Granite Monumental Works, 52 Market Street.

Every merchant should help to make "Dollar Day" a grand success.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons, Tel. 653.

Herald readers will be interested to know that Mr. Montgomery is showing an exquisite line of Easter novelties, just opened.

Try our new method of auto tube repairing, cheaper and much better than vulcanizing. W. F. Woods.

Every man or woman will find all their dollars lucky if they spend them with Portsmouth merchants next Saturday.

Coming! The P. A. C. Merry Minstrels, sixty strong. Bigger, brighter, better than ever. Two evenings, Monday and Tuesday, March 16 and 17.

The picture program at the Portsmouth theatre for tonight is one of the best obtainable and there are two classic acts of vaudeville.

Work left with the late Charles N. Holmes on Penhallow street can be found at William Horne's, 83 Daniel street, sawdust, locksmith, umbrella repairing, grinding, etc.

GIRLS' CLUB NOTES.

Wednesday noon the regular luncheon will be served from 12 to 2. Come up to lunch, girls!

At 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, the entertainment committee for the month of March will have a meeting.

At 7:30 Wednesday evening the dressmaking class will be held. Members are requested to bring needle, thimble, thread, material, etc., also a Butterick pattern of some very simple design, unless one has already had previous experience in dressmaking.

On Thursday evening at 7:30 the millinery class will meet. This class will include ten lessons. Miss Katherine Keefe will be the instructor. Girls should bring strong thread, needle, thimble, braid or silk to cover the hat and also a frame.

On Tuesday evening a whist party will be held at the club room.

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Preparations are being made for two additional storage vaults at City Hall. One of them to be installed in the office of Public Works, and the other in the basement for general use.

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TO ACQUIRE WATER WORKS

Residents of York Appoint Committee to Confer With Owners of York Shore Water Company

The residents of York at their town meeting held on Monday voted to acquire the plant of the York Shore Water Company by a vote of 2 to 1. J. F. Perley Putnam in a vigorous speech advocated the purchase of the water supply by the town and cited the success of town ownership in Farmington, Kittery and other Maine towns, where the water supply is owned by the town.

The purchase of the York Shore Water Company was opposed by its manager, Josiah N. Chase, but the arguments advanced by Mr. Putnam had too much weight and when the vote was taken it was overwhelmingly in favor of town ownership. A committee consisting of Charles F. Blaisdell, Frank H. Ellis and R. W. Sturtevant was appointed to confer with the owners of the water works as to price and report on the same at a special meeting to be held on the second Monday in May.

The price paid for the Kittery Water plant was \$100,000 and it is estimated that it will cost the town of York at least \$200,000 to acquire the York Shore Water Company.

The article calling for an appropriation of \$2000 to clear the trees of brown fall moths, was reduced to \$800. The total appropriation called for was \$58,000 outlay.

NAVY YARD NEWS

Navy Orders.

Comdr. J. E. Dismukes, from William Camp, Philadelphia, to captain of a terminal port, canal zone; Comdr. T. J. Senn, from board of inspection, April 1, to command the Chattahoochee; Comdr. J. P. J. Ryan, to retired list of officers of navy from March 4 on account of physical disability, detached receiving ship at New York, to home; Basil L. Lamberton, transferred to retired list of officers of the navy from March 4, on account of physical disability; Asst. Paymaster C. G. Holland, detached bureau supplies and accounts, to connection fitting out the Leonides and on board when commissioned, Asst. Naval Constructor H. G. Knox, from navy yard, New York, to General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.; Benjamin D. J. Sullivan, from the West Virginia, continuing treatment naval hospital, Puget Sound; Gunner G. Shorn, to naval magazine, Fort Island, N. Y.; Pay Clerk J. E. Roberts, appointed to the Richmond; Lt. R. E. Russell, from recruiting duty, San Francisco, to marine detachment, American legation, Managua, Nicaragua.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Arrived—California and Nanshan at Guaymas; Wheeling at Puerto Plata; Eagle, Nashville and Onega at Guantanamo; Grampus at Portsmouth, N. H.; H-3 at Bremerton; Walke at New Orleans; Scorpion at Alexandria, Egypt; Helena at Hankow; Raleigh at Santa Rosalia.

Sailed—Tulagh and Justin from Guaymas for Santa Rosalia and Mazatlan respectively; Petrel, from Puerto Plata for Guantanamo; Vestal, from Guantanamo for Hampton Roads; South Carolina, from Guantanamo for Port au Prince; Connecticut, Minnesota and Solace, from Vera Cruz for Tampico.

The Celtic, now at Norfolk, will load a cargo of supplies at the New York yard and will sail about April 16 for Vera Cruz to supply vessels on the east coast of Mexico. The C-4 now at Philadelphia, will be sent under convoy, when weather conditions will permit, to Newport, to join her division. The Missouri, Idaho and Illinois have been detached from the Atlantic reserve fleet and will be prepared for service as practice ships for the midshipmen, arriving at Annapolis by May 3. The Panther has been detached from the Atlantic reserve fleet.

In Two Months.

Capt. Charles Curtis Rogers, former commandant of this station, the senior officer of that grade in the service, will be examined for promotion to the grade of rear admiral in two months. The vacancy in the grade of rear admiral will be filled by the promotion of Capt. Rogers.

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NAVY YARD NEWS

Why Not to Boston?

The Argentine battleship Rivadavia will have final engine test today. On Wednesday her guns will be tested in Carlsbad bay and if satisfactory the vessel will proceed to New York yard for docking and cleaning.

Guns for Tacoma.

A carload of 5-inch guns and gun mounts for the U. S. S. Tacoma were received at the yard from Washington gun factory today.

Called to Concord.

Capt. Frank W. Bartlett, head of the machinery division, is at Concord, Mass., today where he was called by the death of a relative.

On Sick Leave.

C. H. Karlson, draftsman in the machinery division, is confined to his home by illness.

Bringing Men for Vulcan.

The collier Orion is shortly expected here from Norfolk with part of a crew for the Vulcan. Some of the Vulcan's crew will be assigned to the Orion.

A Hustle Job.

Quite a force of mechanics will be kept busy on the collier Brutus while the vessel is in port on emergency repairs.

Work for Sailmakers.

The sailmakers for duty in the hull division were called by the board of labor today.

Some Name

"Curried piffle" is the variation which the Army and Navy Register gives on that celebrated word in describing the remarks of Representative Curry, of California, before the House Committee on Naval Affairs, when he asserted that the reason naval officers were in favor of taking the navy yard at Mare Island to San Francisco was because at the latter city they would be nearer clubs and social life.

The Herald Hears

That it was pretty near zero at 5 o'clock this morning.

That it is hoped the Portsmouth men sent to Washington for navy yard work will have good luck.

That the dry list for this city appears to be a thing of the past.

That in the opinion of more than one citizen it was a joke.

That such a list would never stop the thirsty brood from getting the necessary supply of booze when they wanted it.

That some more of those bunch letters have been received from Spain by business men in this city.

That the last regular meeting of the police commissioners was not a very lively one.

That the smallest amount of business was transacted in many months.

That a Congress greet clerk will according to all reports, be the star in a coming local performance.

That he may later start a class in dramatic work.

That some of the boys better get in on it if they are wise.

That not a few of the girls are anxious to try to make the class.

That the Boston and Maine have opened the Kittery Point station.

That Congressman Reed and Mayor Hayes of Manchester will shortly be initiated into the B. P. O. E.

That Manchester is to have a new Democratic club.

That there is some classy society gossip going the rounds in Kittery.

That a new move is on in the Sunset League.

That the new law on poll tax prescribed by the last legislature has a fixed rate of \$2.00.

That you must settle on April 1 with the collector.

That the law says every male resident in the state between the ages of 21 and 70, whether a citizen of the

United States or an alien. Paupers, insane persons and others protected by special provisions of law are the only classes exempted.

That Portsmouth will lose some on the new arrangement while other cities gain.

That one good thing about that Deer street henery the neighbors cannot hear the early morning crowing in the collar.

That the brakeman who held up the runaway Johnny Horse and pony in the depot with a red flag and protected a delegation of Dover ladies feels pretty strong since the stunt.

That the ladies did not forget that "George did it" and have recognized his act with a nice card of thanks worded most appropriately.

That something slightly changed the location of box 16 of the fire alarm at the corner of High and Hanover streets.

That it looks like the work of an automobile truck.

That such accidents should be reported to the superintendent at once.

That the city of Biddeford elects its police commissioners by a vote of the people.

That the sooner it is done in New Hampshire cities the better.

That the punch at the colored ball was all that could be desired.

That the boys who sampled the same say it was an expert mixture and that the famous beverage was there with the kick.

That the district court was not in session today.

That the people who visit a theatre for an argument as to the merits of the performance or to relate love affairs and family history, are some nuisance.

That a censorship board on moving pictures in Chicago consists of five women and one man.

That it is hard to understand where he can fit in an argument with his associates.

That the police of London and other cities of England are earning every cent they get between the Home Rule argument and the wholesale routing of the suffragettes.

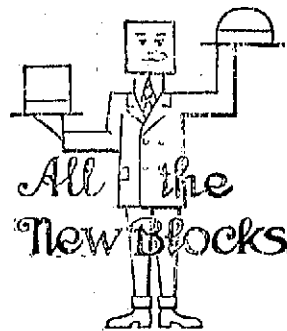
That the last trip of the "Midnight Crew" to Dover was some time.

That they need a map of Strafford county which might enable them to keep out of the tall pines.

That the Wine Clerks of the city are boasting about several chefs in their ranks.

That one of them made a hit in the culinary line with those frankfurters and sour kroup.

That the sports from York who attempted to press the lips of a fair maid at the depot, got theirs.



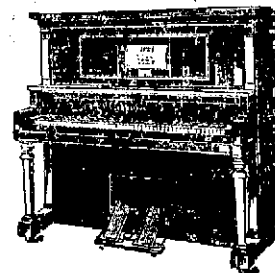
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